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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In keeping with their duty to disclose to the Patent and Trademark Office information of which they are aware, applicants are identifying on the accompanying form the following patents and publications, copies of which are attached thereto:

U.S. Pat. No. 5,716,928 (Benet et al.).

U.S. Pat. No. 5,681,846 (Trissel).

U.S. Pat. No. 5,665,386 (Benet et al.).

U.S. Pat. No. 5,616,330 (Kaufman et al.).

U.S. Pat. No. 5,610,173 (Schwartz et al.).

U.S. Pat. No. 5,565,478 (Kohn et al.).

U.S. Pat. No. 5,504,102 (Agharkar et al.).

U.S. Pat. No. 5,438,072 (Bobee et al.).

U.S. Pat. No. 5,403,858 (Bastard et al.).

U.S. Pat. No. 4,960,790 (Stella et al.).

PCT WO 95/20980 (Pub. 10 Aug. 1995).

Lum et al., *Drug Resistance in Clin. Onc. and Hematology*, Vol. 9, No. 2, pp. 319-336 (1995).

Fisher et al., *Proc. of ASCO*, Vol. 13, Abstract 369, p. 144 (1994).

It is believed that none of the references cited herein anticipates, renders obvious or otherwise adversely affects the patentability of the claims in the present application.

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